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Navy Unit Sponsors June Week Festivities

"Blue Barrons" To Play At Navy Formal Dance

EVENTS TO CLOSE WITH STEP SINGING

Middlebury's Navy V-12 unit is sponsoring a regular June-Week which was officially opened Tuesday evening by a rally at Porter field.

The first event was the rope pull between Hepburn and Gifford with the help of some feminine forces on both sides. Hepburn outnumbered her opponent but the Gifford gang out-maneuvered them, consequently it was the Hepburn Redskins that bit the dust on the bottom of Porter Pond first.

Following the rope pull one well-greased, and otherwise defenseless pig was attacked by swarms of shirtless sailors. The first to catch the critter was Eddie Andrews, Commander of Company C, who won the prize of a free ticket to the Navy formal dance. The next event was a test of smoking-while-crawling ability. Five men started crawling after four cigars, the four who got the cigars crawled to the next post where there were three matches, at the next post there were two places to scratch the matches and then, the first one to crawl home with the cigar in his mouth and still going won the prize. The lucky man in this race was Novick and, due to the fact that they wanted to keep the party clean, his prize was a brand new washboard.

Orange Pop in Baby's Bottle

The last event of the evening was a contest to determine how fast each of ten girls could feed their partners a bottle of orange soda equipped with nipples. Pringle and Ball were on the ball and emerged victorious.

Striking a more serious note, the next item on the calendar for Navy week was the review by Captain Newton L. Nichols, Wednesday afternoon, June 7, at 1630. Captain Nichols is in charge of the training in the first Naval District.

Friday afternoon there is to be a baseball game at Porter field at 1630 and

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June Week Program

Friday, June 9

1630—Baseball game . . . Williams at Middlebury (tentative).

Saturday, June 10

0900 Inspection of quarters.
1330 Color Ceremony in the quadrangle.
1430-1630 Open House in Gifford and Hepburn.
1430 Baseball game, Trinity at Middlebury.
1700-1800 Tea given by Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Stratton and Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. Clifford Alderman on the lawn of President Stratton's home at 3 South Street. All faculty members and guests of Navy Trainees who are from out of town are cordially invited to attend.
1800 Regimental Staff Dinner at Middlebury Inn.
2000-2400 Navy Formal Dance in High School Gym.

Sunday, June 11

1700 Chapel Vespers Service.
1930 Step Singing on steps of Mead Chapel.

Monday, June 12

Track Meet—Worcester Tech . . . Worcester.

BROEMEL HEADS '44 FRENCH CLUB

Charlotte Broemel '46 was elected president at a short business meeting of the French Club held on Tuesday, June 6, at Le Chateau. Joy Redfield '46 was elected vice-president and Nancy Richards '45, secretary.

Vice-president Stephen A. Freeman spoke of the plans that are being made for next year relative to Le Chateau. All students interested in speaking French are encouraged to live at Le Chateau so that it may return to its pre-war position on campus, holding the traditional activities.

Assembly Meets Sunday, June 4

Representatives Discuss Summer and Fall Plans

Proposed revisions in the Constitution and Legislation of the Student Union were approved *en toto* by the advisory committee, it was announced by Wilma R. Bunce '45, president, at a meeting of the Women's Assembly on Sunday night, June 4. These changes are printed in full on page 3 of this issue. The new rules, except those referring to constitutional changes, are now in effect.

Orientation Committee

An orientation committee is to be formed to function after the close of freshman week. The vice-president of Student Union will act as chairman of this committee which will consist of two members from each of the three upper classes. These will be chosen by the President's Council from a list of volunteers. This committee will facilitate in the orientation of the freshmen.

A committee was appointed to draw up plans to present to the administration for a temporary student government to function during the summer. The members are as follows: Ruth M. Barker '45, Hedvig C. Hogg '45, Janet Kemp '45, Elizabeth F. Lockey '45, and Margaret J. Rowland '46.

Furniture for Lounge

Half the cost of the furniture, not to exceed $125, for the Mortar Board lounge will be appropriated by the Student Union. Mortar Board will donate $50 for this purpose for the Fall term, also.

Miss Bunce appointed a representation committee to take charge of assembly elections in the fall. The committee consists of: Barbara Boyden '45, chairman; Marcey S. Lynn '46, Gloria A. Antolini '47, and Louise Von Thurn '47.

The Editor-in-Chief of CAMPUS, if a member of Student Union, will be given second choice of rooms in room drawing, it was decided. The Chief Justice of Student Union will be given third choice.

Company "C" Is Winner Of 14-Week Competition

Mary Nasmith, Color Girl of 1944

MARY NASMITH '46 TO BE COLOR GIRL

Company "C" is the winner of the inter-company competition based on drilling, personal inspection and inspection of quarters, demerits, and participation in sports and other extra-curricular activities. This means that Mary D. Nasmith '46 is the color girl of 1944.

The final ratings were as follows:

Competitive Drill

Company C	3.67
Company D	3.53
Company B	3.45
Company A	3.04

Quarters Inspection

Company B	3.88
Company C	3.84
Company D	3.83
Company A	3.81

Personal Inspection

Company B	3.67
Company C	3.64
Company A	3.57
Company D	3.57

Demerits

Company C	4.00
Company D	3.95
Company B	3.90
Company A	3.85

Extra-curricular Activities

Company C	4.00
Company D	3.95
Company B	3.90
Company A	3.85

The color ceremony will take place Saturday afternoon, June 10, at 1:30 on the quadrangle. The color girl with her attendants in back of her will stand in front of the regiment and facing them. At the given command the winning company will come forward and form three sides of a square facing the regimental commander, each platoon making up one side. The regular color guard and the color guard from the winning company will take their positions in the middle of the regiment and will march up to the front for the presentation of the colors to the color girl. After being duly saluted she will present the colors to her company.

To add more of the real Navy atmosphere there will be a Navy goat standing watch over the ceremony.

Culture Conference Booklet Is Released

Middlebury College press has just released a booklet on the Middlebury Culture Conference. It is "published as a report of the second annual Middlebury culture conference."

It includes a foreword written by President Stratton stating the aims and future plans of the cultural conferences. There are write-ups of each of the speakers from this year's conference telling who they are and what their ideas are as they expressed themselves in the panel.

There are several excerpts from the *New York Herald-Tribune*, the *Times*, *Boston Herald*, and the *Boston Globe* giving their comments on our conference.

The bulletin also includes pictures of the speakers in both formal and informal shots. The program and a list of the various committees which worked on the preparation for the conference are also given.

Copies of the bulletin are being sent to a selected list of colleges and preparatory schools, and to last year's speakers and prospective speakers for next year's conference.

Students interested in securing one of these booklets should contact the student committee.

E. L. Luz Elected President of WAA

The new slate of officers elected on Tuesday night, June 6, were: Eileen L. Luz '46, president; vice-president, Ann A. Argyle '47; secretary, Jeanette Cunningham '47; Bette Bertschinger '46, treasurer; custodian, Alice S. Thorn '47.

Lucinda H. Darby '46 and Agnes E. Fink '45 also ran for president and Mary L. Caswell '46 and Betsy Drake '47 ran for vice-president. The defeated officers for treasurer were Barbara Boyden '45 and Mary Jane Selleck '46; for secretary, Sylvia Clay '47 and Edith Gordon '47; and for custodian, Mary L. Caswell '46 and Betsy S. Drake '47.

Three games have been played in the hockey tournament so far. At the first game on May 29, between the Freshmen and Sophomores, the Freshmen showed superior teamwork by outscoring their opponents by the score of 6-1. "Hoppy" Hopkins '47, center on the Frosh forward line, starred for the underclassmen by making 5 out of six goals.

The Sophomore vs. Senior combat on June 2 was a close and practically scoreless battle. The Seniors had the necessary punch and scored the only point of the day in the second half. Mary Jane Snook was responsible for the winning goal.

On Monday, June 5, Freshmen and Sophomores tangled once again in an ex-

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MORTAR BOARD TAPS B. BOYDEN

Mortar Board, a national honorary society for women, tapped Barbara Boyden '45 last Tuesday morning in chapel. Membership in this organization signifies the maintenance of a high scholastic average, participation in extra-curricular activities, and leadership.

Miss Boyden has been active in hockey, basketball, badminton, baseball, volleyball, S. A. A., and modern dance. She is a member of permanent Skyline and of Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

Other members of Mortar Board are Jean Lacey '44, Wilma R. Bunce '45, Ruth L. Collins '45, Charlotte P. Hickcox '45, Dorothy H. Laux '45, and Bettina L. Stringer '45.

Banshee chapter of Mortar Board was established at Middlebury in 1928. It has sponsored an annual Freshman Picnic, Senior Day, and May Day Breakfast.

Commando Course Gives Tough Workout for Navy

By WEARY WATCHER

Undoubtedly all of us aren't cut out to be Commandos. Whenever I look at the Cargo Net I think it would be an ideal spot to bask in the sun, but somehow it just isn't appropriate to associate commando obstacles with sunbathing. Have you ever been over the course? (Silly question to ask the Navy!) Well, if you haven't, take it from one who doesn't know entirely, but knows in part, that you have missed something.

Answers Many Questions

The course isn't something the Navy talks about, but simply does. However, we civilians think it's about time we find out why the Navy's muscles become firmer every day, why they come staggering into class to the tune of the final bell, why on Saturday nights they have that "pleasantly exhausted look," and why on Sunday the majority never goes on Mountain Club hikes. It all goes back to the commando course.

Off to a Good Start

When "Joe Gish," the sailor begins his hour of PT with some of his thirty other mates, led by one of the chiefs, he doesn't take the course immediately. Instead, he is subjected, for some twenty or thirty minutes, along with any classes within earshot, to the one two, one two, of hands overhead, touching toes, push ups, etc. Sometimes, instead of the usual one two, the thump of feet is heard followed by a chorus of male voices yelling N-A-V-Y. On occasion "Joe's" class has been so ambitious that they've imitated a marching band going up and down Porter Field, and once came gymward from their run to the tune of "Volga Boatman." It's on this homeward trek from running or marching that "Joe" begins to contemplate his venture over and under the wood. He's approaching the course faster than he likes to think he is, but he goes over a ten foot wall into a sawdust pit. Without even a second to think about brushing himself off, "Sailor Joe" proceeds, followed by thirty others, and goes under an obstacle, after which he climbs the cargo net. As I watch this procedure, I am puzzled as to how so many monkey-like figures can ascend the comparatively small area without stepping on hands and pinching fingers. (I recalled the day two of us had gone up the net at the same time. I waited until my friend was half way there before starting the ascent.) Since then it has

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First Midd Year Reviewed by V-12

By ROBERT A. WYMAN, A.S.

One year ago, on July 1, 1944, the Navy first came to Middlebury. It seemed as strange to us as we seemed to the people of Middlebury. At first we had absolutely no idea of what was expected of us and we in turn did not know what to expect. We were soon enlightened. During the first weeks, we registered, were issued uniforms, drilled, taught Navy phraseology and dozens of other things. We were a conglomerate group; some came from sea duty, others came from boot-camp, some came from Kentucky, Michigan, New York, New England and other states. That in itself presented a great problem. No two came with the same preparation; no two came with the same ideas and convictions; no two came with the same attitude. But it was this group that the faculty, officers and the petty officers of the Navy Unit shaped into one of the best units in the First Naval District. So our first impressions of Midd were no more apprehensive than were Midd's impressions of us.

Following this period of adjustment for all concerned, came other impressions. We took stock of the situation and began to realize that we had indeed been fortunate to have been sent to Midd. True, the town itself offered not much

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Normandy 1944

I know those fields of Normandy, where American boys are running forward or digging in, as I write.

It is a beautiful country at this time of the year with its large old farms protected from the wind by double rows of high trees; with the roads lined by poplars and the green pastures, the orchards, and the village churches, all different. Many have seen the Hundred Years War.

Normandy will not appear as a foreign country to the Americans, the Canadians or the British; too many of them did sail from there, either with Duke William in 1066, or as settlers to the new world. The old people who stayed home, the hard-working peasants of Calvados and of the Lower Seine, will recognize them all right. They will show them, at Bayeux, the tapestry woven by Queen Matilda, the wife of William the Conqueror, depicting the men in the many flat boats who did the crossing, and the landing near Hastings, nearly 900 years ago.

Boys from Normandy were my comrades when I served in the 30th regiment of infantry, stationed at Rouen. I had my military training near these places, which are in the news today. I did lie flat in that grain, crawl under those bushes, keep watch by the edge of those woods, and carry the big pack along Kilometers of the winding white roads, as a very young soldier dreaming of real wars to come.

I am glad that Normandy should be liberated by American arms and American courage. I believe in our alliance and have given my best efforts to its service, and this is going to make it closer still.

So my thoughts go to your boys who are treading on that ground for the first time, chasing the Boches before them as they advance.

My thoughts are with those who are getting hurt, and with those for whom today is the first and the last day of the war.

PIERRE DE LANUX,
June 6, 1944.

Wilbour Saunders To Lead Vespers

Wilbur E. Sanders, principal of the Peddie School in Hightstown, N. J., will be the last Chapel speaker of the term. Mr. Saunders is an ordained minister in the Baptist Church. He obtained his M.A. at Columbia University and was a student at Cambridge in England from 1919 to 1920.

Born in Warwick, R. I., he spent the major part of his life in the state of New Jersey. He was chaplain of the New Jersey State Reformatory from 1924 until 1937. Mr. Saunders, a Mason, is president of the Hightstown Y. M. C. A. and of the New Jersey Council of Religious Education.

Culture Trends Are Discussed By Humanities

The second part of the Humanities discussion on American culture took place Thursday night, June 1, at 8:00 in Munroe Hall. Dorothy J. Burton '44, was moderator ;and Arthur K. D. Healy, Josephine A. Kirk '45, and Prof. Claude Bourcier were the speakers.

Architectural Trends

Miss Burton gave a short summary of the first discussion held, and emphasized the trend of revolt for sincerity which was noticeable in all forms of art after 1900. She then introduced Mr. Healy who spoke about architecture. Architecture is an art in that it makes for better living conditions, spiritual and mental content. Up to the nineteenth century, however, architecture could not really be called an art. It was antisocial. The Gothics, for instance, were more concerned with the hereafter. The Renaissance saw the subordination of the individual to the glorification and ornamentation of the state through architecture. In the nineteenth century architecture rose above this and functional architecture came into being. According to Mr. Healy, the appearance of a building should be the logical outcome of the plan with which it was built. Also during this time there came a movement of imitation of foreign architecture. Today the motive in real estate is one of profit. Economic conditions debase this art and the architect's position as an artist is vague.

Drama Contribution

Miss Kirk was the next speaker and discussed the contribution of drama to American culture. She stated that there are two ways of looking at present day drama in America: 1, those who think drama is now at its height, *i.e.* as pure entertainment; and 2, those who want a more serious drama and who think it has a real contribution to make. Miss Kirk allies herself with the latter. Early drama in America was the old fashioned melodrama. In 1920 Eugene O'Neill's psychological plays made the first real contribution to good drama. His influence was the cause of the organization of many drama groups, such as the Federal Theater, whose policy of making good drama accessible to all the people made great progress in the right direction. The importance of drama comes through its status as a visual art with a great emotional appeal which presents its problems with real people and which through its social consciousness and interest in the American cultural heritage has really contributed to our culture.

Fine Arts and Painting

Mr. Healy spoke again, this time about fine arts and painting. He stated that most American minds are concerned with the actual and thus our tradition from the years 1912-1917 is one of obvious painting. The Armory Show in New York in 1911 brought painting out as an independent, abstract art, which had its emphasis on the life of people around us. Lately the lot of the artist has improved greatly. There are "fewer masters and more artists." Modern art is a synthesis of many different movements and is somewhat exhausted for fresh talent.

American Movies

Next Professor Bourcier discussed American movies. He mentioned the

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Letters to Editor

In the past the Château has had a tradition of being one of the most popular dorms on campus. This was due partly to a number of activities carried on there and nowhere else. There was the Hallowe'en party which went on far into the night. At Christmas there was the serenading around campus and gifts under the tree in the Grand Salon. In February Micarême gave the opportunity for further celebration—and when graduation approached a banquet was held for the seniors, with speeches and an excellent meal. Teas were held monthly and coffee was served every Sunday in the Grand Salon, often accompanied by musical entertainment.

There are other advantages to living at the Château. If work piles up the library offers a quiet place to study as late as you wish. For those who do major in French the "Biblio" gives easy access to the books which must be read or referred to.

One of the things Middlebury is most famous for is the Château, as the only college wormitory of its kind on American campuses. Under war conditions language study becomes more essential than ever. As Nettie-Mae Merritt suggested, we are living on borrowed time. How many of us are making the best use of it by taking advantage of this chance to get practice speaking French by living in a building the very structure of which is along French traditions? With a houseful of interested students, there is no reason for the Chat's not continuing to be one of the great assets of Middlebury.

JANET KEMP,
CHARLOTTE BROEMEL.

To the Editor:

It is very gratifying to read in recent issues of the CAMPUS that Midd in wartime is realizing the importance of continuing many of the activities of past years. Notably, the meetings of the S.A.A. and the Humanities show that the students are more than ever interested in the discussion of current problems. We like to read that there is to be a Junior Prom, that the Baseball schedule has been posted, and that Biology classes still go on "bird walks." News of chapel, of the Mountain Club and of the faculty interests us even though we do not recognize some of the names.

Self-consciousness

It is, however, a bit discouraging to note that after years of foment and time-consuming discussion Midd is still extremely self-conscious about its student government. Perhaps that is a good sign, but recent write-ups give the impression that the women at Midd are largely delinquent. After all, isn't it rather petty to haggle over "minutes of lateness"?

We are supposed to find that after a century of functioning, the student body is still adding rule upon rule in a desperate attempt to define its responsibilities. Is democracy really so complex and laboriously concerned with travia?

True Freedom

We feel that freedom is less a matter of restriction and definition of action than the right of the individual to use his own initiative in his behavior. Nevertheless, the editor of the May 11 issue of the CAMPUS adroitly remarked "under the proposed changes, each student will feel that there is more about which she must be honorable". Such a system would seem to accredit the student with the minimum of intelligence and responsibility. It is our feeling that the degree of effectiveness of any honor system is inversely proportionate to the number of rules.

Perhaps it is actually true that the present students are less responsible and intelligent and that more restrictions are necessary. We prefer to think such is not the case but rather that fewer rules are necessary today than a few years ago. The very mention of keeping statistics on "minutes of lateness" sound Victorian and slightly amusing.

Of course it's nice to think that "we voted for it and it's all ours now," but consider the impediments you are placing in the way of a liberal honor system. It requires no responsibility at all to follow rules, no matter who makes them. The responsible and honorable person is the one who behaves properly in the absence of set rules of conduct.

DOROTHY BROWN CLARK '44,
JAMES GIBBS CLARK '43.

Pres. Stratton to Attend Convocation at Bowdoin

Representing Middlebury College, President Samuel S. Stratton will attend a Convocation in commemoration of the sesquicentennial of the Bowdoin College charter on June 24-25.

Bowdoin College, located at Brunswick, Me., is a sister of Middlebury, being only six years older. It was founded in 1794.

The Sesquicentennial exercises, will include on Saturday, an academic procession, Convocation address, reception by President and Mrs. Sills and a dramatic presentation by the Masque and Gown. On Sunday there will be a service of Thanksgiving and Remembrance in the morning and a concert in the afternoon.

STATE STUDENTS RECEIVE TUITIONS

The two Middlebury College tuition scholarships for the coming year have been awarded to John R. Howard of Bennington, Vt., and Frederick J. McGarry of Rutland, Vt., who will enter college on July 1.

These scholarships, which take the place of the regular Vermont scholarships which the college formerly offered, cover full tuition for the first two terms and may be extended upon satisfactory completion of these to cover two additional terms.

Scholastic attainment, extra-curricular interests, physical vigor, personality and good citizenship are considered in making the selection. These are judged by scholastic aptitude tests, general intelligence tests, personal interviews and references. Recommendations are made by headmasters and principals of secondary schools and friends of the college. The recipients are chosen by a committee consisting of Pres. Samuel S. Stratton, Vice-President Stephen A. Freeman, Boylston Green, acting dean of men, Lester Ingalls, director af admissions, and Prof. Raymond White, chairman of the admissions committee.

John Howard is president of both his class and the student council and is on the football team at Bennington High School.

Frederick McGarry has been on student committees and a member of the varsity basketball squad at Rutland High School. His oldest brother, Richard, graduated from Middlebury in 1943, and John was transferred in February to M. I. T.

NOTICES

Announcement has been made by the President's office that Miss Muriel Cormack '45 will act as an assistant in the drafting department for the summer term, and Miss Alice Louise Bull '46 will be an assistant in the Biology department for the next semester.

Students who are not returning to college for the summer term and who wish final grades sent them should leave self-addressed, stamped envelopes in the Registrar's office.

The Hartford War Council of Hartford, Conn., needs volunteer workers for the summer in its Recreational Centers, Child Care Centers, and Land Army. Anyone interested please see Miss Wolcott.

Editor's Note:

We are sorry to have misled outsiders in regard to the purpose of our new constitutional and legislative changes. We have tried to impress the fact that these modifications of our old rules were proposed, not to add rule upon rule, but to make our government less restricted. Some of the regulations of past years were discussed and found too petty and too outmoded to be effective now. Under the present changes, the students feel that they have more responsibility in their own hands; that they are closer to the center of the governing body.

We have learned that, in order to make the honor system function more effectively, we must maintain a certain judicial check on the members. In addition to this, we feel a need of social pressure during the formative stages of the honor system.

Our aim in modifying the old rules is to have each person take a more active part in the government of Student Union. She is to be held directly responsible for her conduct and is trusted under less stringent supervision. This, we believe, is a democratic approach.

Revised Constitution of Student Union

of the

Women's College of Middlebury

Preamble

We, the students of the Women's College of Middlebury, affirm our acceptance of the responsibilities of student government. As college students we recognize self-government to be a vital aspect of our college life and education. The Honor System, on which basis the Middlebury student government is organized, bestows upon each of us the privilege of self-direction, and at the same time the responsibility of living in accordance with the established practices of the group of which we have become members. Any one who fails to abide by the Honor System automatically revokes its privileges and becomes subject to treatment as a problem case. The Honor System is designed to give each individual the greatest opportunities for personal development and social contribution.

Article I. Name

The name of this organization shall be the Student Union Association of the Women's College of Middlebury.

Article II. Purpose

To further the spirit of unity among the women students at Middlebury; to coordinate and control the extra-curricular activities of the women students; and to encourage high standards of cooperation in student self-government.

Article III. Membership

All women registered as undergraduate students at Middlebury College become *ipso facto* members of Student Union.

Article IV. Executive

Section One. Nomination and election of officers

1. The President, Chief Justice, Vice-president, Secretary, and Treasurer of Student Union shall be nominated by the Assembly before any other elections take place.
2. The Assembly shall fix the date when such nominations shall take place.
3. The officers shall be elected by a majority vote of the entire Student Union by secret ballot, two weeks after the nominations are made in the Assembly and shall serve for two terms.
4. Installation of officers shall take place at least three weeks before the end of the term in which the elections take place, at a meeting of the entire Student Union.

Section Two. President.

1. Any student in the sixth term, in good standing, shall be eligible for this office.
2. Powers and Duties
   a. Shall call together and preside over all meetings of the Student Union.
   b. Shall address all new students to welcome them and acquaint them with the aims and responsibilities of student government and the Honor System.
   c. Shall call together and preside over all the meetings of the Assembly.
   d. Shall present all Assembly regulations to the Advisory Committee.
   e. Shall present Assembly opinion to the Dean of Women, and the opinion of the Dean of Women to the Assembly when pertaining to Assembly matters.
   f. Shall have veto power as designated below.
   g. Shall appoint a Representation Committee to be approved by the Assembly before the end of the term. This Committee will supervise all Assembly elections.
   h. Shall approve expenditures presented by the Treasurer.
   i. Shall have vote in case of a tie.
   j. Shall be a member of the Student Life Committee.
   k. Shall be an *ex-ffficio* member of all Student Union committees and councils.

Section Three. Vice-president.

1. Any student in the fourth term, in good standing, shall be eligible for this office.
2. Powers and Duties
   a. Shall assume the duties of the President in her absence or at her request.
   b. Shall supervise the part of Student Union in freshman orientation.
   c. Shall be a member of the President's Council.
   d. Shall be a member of the Student Life Committee.
   e. Shall be a member of the Social Committee.
   f. Shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Section Four. President's Council.

1. The President's Council shall be composed of the Chief Justice, the Vice-president of Student Union and the presidents of the senior, junior, sophomore, and freshman classes.
2. The President's Council shall advise the President on all matters of student government at her request, and shall meet on the call of the President.
3. The President's Council shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Section Five. Secretary.

1. Any student in the fourth term, in good standing, shall be eligible for this office
2. Powers and Duties
   a. Shall keep the minutes of the Student Union and the Assembly meetings.
   b. Shall attend to Student Union correspondence.
   c. Shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Section Six. Treasurer.

1. Any student in the sixth term, in good standing, shall be eligible for this office.
2. Powers and Duties
   a. Shall handle the finances of the Student Union.
   b. Shall submit all expenditures to the President for approval.
   c. Shall make a financial report at each meeting of the Assembly.
   d. Shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Article V. Legislative

Section One. Organization.

1. There shall be an Assembly established on the representative principle.
2. Representation in the Assembly shall be determined as follows:
   a. The Assembly shall comprise no more than 10% (ten percent) of the entire Student Union.
   b. Representation shall be apportioned according to the number of each class in each dormitory. Each dormitory and the student group living in town shall have at least one representative.

Section Two. Eligibility and elections.

1. Any member of Student Union, in good standing, shall be eligible for election to the Assembly. All members of Student Union shall have privilege of the floor without vote.
2. Nominations
   a. Nominations shall be under the supervision of the Representation Committee.
   b. Any student may be nominated by petition signed by five members of her dormitory which should be presented to the Representation Committee.
   c. Nominations shall be accepted from the floor at the time of elections.
   d. There shall be at least two nominees for each office.
3. Elections
   a. The elections shall be by secret ballot. The slate for each dormitory shall be prepared by the Representation Committee.
   b. Elections shall be held within three weeks after the beginning of term.
   c. The Representation Committee shall make provision for those living in town.
   b. The Assembly shall decide the term of office of its members.

Section Three. Exercise of powers and duties

1. The assembly shall suggest and receive recommendation for discussion and shall pass new legislation.
2. The Assembly shall meet regularly at least once each month, and at such times in addition as the President shall deem necessary.
3. A majority of the membership shall be a quorum.
4. The Assembly shall have power to expel its members by a majority vote.
5. The Assembly shall formulate rules regarding attendance.
6. Persistent absence shall be a cause for the removal of any representative from office.
7. The Assembly shall approve student organizations, supervise the point system, and arrange for elections as described above.
8. The Assembly shall have the power to pass legislation pertaining to all purely student affairs which shall be binding on all students.
9. The Assembly shall have the power to decide what constitutes a dormitory as used in this Constitution.
10. The Veto Power
    a. Assembly regulations shall become effective when approved by the President of Student Union, or if she shall return them to the Assembly unsigned with her reasons, for refusing her signature when passed by a two-thirds vote.
    b. The President may approve the regulations in whole or in part, but the Assembly retains power to decide whether veto of an item has altered the meaning of the whole and to reconsider the question *de novo*.
11. Assembly regulations shall not become effective if contrary to the regulations of the Women's College of Middlebury. After being passed by the Assembly, regulations shall be presented at once by the President of Student Union to the Advisory Committee for approval.
12. The Assembly shall have the power by a two-thirds vote to remove any officer of the Executive or Judicial departments, provided a written complaint, signed by at least ten representatives, shall have been filed with the Secretary of Student Union, and a special investigation committee of the Assembly shall have held a hearing and made a report thereof.

Article VI. Judicial

Section One. Judicial.

1. The supreme judicial power shall be vested in a Judicial Council composed of the Chief Justice and one representative from the senior, junior, and sophomore classes.
2. The Chief Justice shall be elected by the entire student body at the time of Student Union elections. The remaining three members of the Judicial Council shall be appointed by the President's Council and such appointments shall be approved by the Assembly.

Section Two. Chief Justice.

1. Any student in the sixth term, in good standing, shall be eligible for this office.
2. Powers and Duties
   a. Shall call and preside over all meetings of the Judicial Council.
   b. Shall make a report to the Assembly at each meeting of Judicial decisions.
   c. Shall keep records of all decicions made by House Boards and shall approve them. If she disapproves, decisions shall be reviewed by the Judicial Council.
   b. Shall report to the Dean of Dean of Women the decisions of the House Boards and the Judicial Council.
   e. Shall appoint the temporary Heads of House, with the advice and consent of the Representation Committee.
   f. Shall be a member of the President's Council.
   g. Shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Section Three. Judicial Council.

1. The Judicial Council shall meet when called by the Chief Justice.
2. The Judicial Council shall decide all cases referred to it.
3. The Judicial Council shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Article VII. House Organization.

Section One. House President.

1. There shall be one House President for each dormitory. Each House President shall be elected by the entire house from a slate of two nominees presented by the Representation Committee and shall serve for one term.
2. No student shall be eligible for this office unless she shall have completed two terms in college, except in a dormitory housing freshmen only.
3. Duties
   a. Shall be responsible for her dormitory.
   b. Shall call and preside over house meetings.
   c. Shall automatically become a member of the Assembly and fill the position of one member of the quota allotted that dormitory for her class.
   d. Shall report all decisions of the House Board to the Chief Justice for approval.
   e. Shall perform such other duties as the Assembly shall from time to time prescribe.

Section Two. House Boards.

1. There shall be a House Board in each dormitory.
2. Membership
   a. Assembly representatives in the dormitory shall be members *ex-officio*.
   b. Floor Representatives
      (1) There shall be one representative for each floor of each dormitory who shall be elected by the students living on that floor and who shall hold office for one term.
      (2) Any student not a member of the Assembly shall be eligible for this office.
      (3) Duties
         (a) Shall serve on the House Board.
         (b) Shall act as intermediary between the House Board and students living on that floor she represents.
   c. In dormitories having only floor representative, the House Board shall consist of the Assembly representative, the floor representative and the House President.

Article VIII. House Directors

The duties of the House Director, as a representative of the college administration, shall be:

1. To interpret to the household the standards of the college as to social decorum.
2. To be advisory to the House Board.

Article IX. Advisory Committee

There shall be appointed annually, before the end of the spring term, by the President of the College, an Advisory Committee of three women not members of Student Union.

Article X. Social Committee.

1. Purpose: The Social committee shall promote the social program of the Student Union.
2. Members: The Social Committee shall be a joint committee consisting of 12 members. The student membership shall consist of the President of Student Union, the President of Mortar Board, the Vice-president of Student Union, and one representative of each class to be elected at the time of class elections. The four members not members of Student Union shall consist of the Dean of Women, the Social Director, and two women to be chosen by the President's Council within two weeks after Student Union elections and approved by the Dean of Women.

Article XI. Amendments.

1. Amendments to this Constitution shall be submitted to the Assembly with the signatures of ten members of the Assembly.
2. Amendments shall become effective when:
   a. Passed by a majority vote of the Assembly.
   b. Approved by the Advisory Committee.
   c. And passed by a two-thirds vote of Student Union.

Legislation

I. Statutory Duties of Officers

A. Secretary:
   Shall see that a report of all Assembly meetings appears in the college newspaper.

B. House President:
   1. Shall file late-permission blanks for her dormitory every week, and the sign-out cards every two weeks.
   2. Shall give late-permission blanks and sign-out cards to the Chief Justice at the end of the term.
   3. Shall keep on hand an adequate supply of sign-out cards and late-permission blanks.
   4. Shall be responsible for replacing the sign-out cards in the dormitory card file every two weeks.
   5. Shall meet at least once a week with the House Director to discuss matters pertaining to the house.

C. House Board:
   1. Shall have the responsibility for initiating such additional rules as conditions in particular dormitories shall make necessary. These shall go into effect upon vote of the house and with the approval of the Assembly.
   2. Shall fill out sign-out cards for each girl in the dormitory for the entire term. (To fill out the sign-out card includes placing on the card the name and term of each girl, the name of the dormitory, and the date of the week.)

D. Temporary House Heads:
   1. The Chief Justice shall appoint temporary Heads of Houses until elections can be held.
   2. The temporary Head of House shall perform the duties of the House President as listed in Article VII, Section I. C of the Legislation.
   3. She shall appoint temporary floor representatives to serve until elections.

II. Assembly

A. Attendance:
   1. Any member of the Assembly absent from two meetings without a valid excuse presented to the President of Student Union before the meeting shall be automatically dropped from the Assembly. The house which she represents shall elect her successor.

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Legislation of the Women's Assembly of Middlebury

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B. Meetings:
Regular meetings of the Women's Assembly shall be held the second Sunday of every month at 7:15 P.M.

C. Committees:
1. All Committees shall be appointed by the President of Student Union subject to the approval of the Assembly.
2. Standing Committees shall be composed of members of the Assembly. These standing Committees shall be:
Point System Committee
Charter Committee
Finance Committee
3. Special committees have as their chairmen members of the Assembly.
4. The chairman of each committee shall be responsible for a written record of the activities of the committee.

III. Social Legislation

A. Quiet Hours:
After the third week of the term each dormitory shall make its own schedule of quiet hours with the unanimous consent of the entire house, using the following schedule as a basis. The following is to be observed until such time as the dormitory shall make any changes.
Weekdays except Saturdays:
8:00-12:00 A.M.
1:30-4:00 P.M.
7:30-9:40 and after 10:30 P.M.
Saturdays:
8:00-12:00 A.M. and after 11:00 P.M.
Sundays and Holidays:
Absolute quiet until 10:00 A.M.
"Reasonable" quiet is maintained throughout Sunday.

B. Student Duties: Students living in dormitories:
1. Shall report lateness to the House President.
2. Shall maintain quiet hours.
3. Shall number our nights out on the sign-out card in the case of freshmen and sophomores.
4. Shall record late permissions on the record card in the back of the dormitory card file.
5. Shall give one-half of the late-permission card to the house-duty girl and one-half to the House President.
6. A girl returning less than three minutes late to her dormitory shall number her late minutes on the record card in the back of the file. When three minutes of lateness have been accumulated, she will report to the House President and will restrict herself to her dormitory the following night. One night of dormitory restriction for each three minutes late will be the standard penalty, except when the House Board exercises its discretion in special cases. Dormitory restriction, as used above, begins at 7:00 P.M.

C. Doors:
1. In general the doors of all college houses shall be locked at 10:00 P.M.
2. Late-permission is granted to all women until 11:30 on Saturday nights. Late-permission is granted to all seniors until 11:00 on Thursday nights.
3. With special permission from the House Director, and with a very good reason, 11:30 permission may be taken during the week, with the forfeiture of that permission on the following Saturday night when the girl shall return by 10:00 P.M.
4. Guests entertained for the evening shall have left the dormitory:
a. by 10:00 on week days.
b. by 11:30 on Saturdays and on nights when special permission is granted by the House Director.
c. by 11:00 Thursday in the case of seniors.
d. by 10:30 on week days if regular late-permission is granted to all women by the President of Student Union.
(These times are interpreted to mean as long as the clock says the specified hour.)
5. After evening entertainments closing later than 9:50, the doors shall be locked twenty minutes after the close of the entertainment.
6. Doors will be locked at 11:30 P.M. after an informal and one-half an hour after a formal dance; if a girl is unavoidably detained, she shall notify the House Director and return as soon as possible.
7. The doors of all college houses shall not be opened before 6:00 A.M. between October 15 and April 1 or before 5:00 A.M. in the time not included in this period.

D. Registration:
1. Permission to attend or give formal parties or informal parties other than the informal dances of the college will be obtained from the Dean of Women. The members of Student Union are not permitted to attend public dances.
2. On leaving the college at any time or the dormitory after 8:00 P.M. all students shall register time of departure, destination, and probable time of return. If the student cannot return at the specified hour, the House Director shall be notified.
3. Failure to sign in or out automatically restricts the girl to her dormitory the following night.
4. Girls staying in town overnight outside of dormitories must be granted permission by the Dean of Women and are subject to Student Union Rules.
5. Permission to stay in another dormitory overnight must be granted by the House President. A girl may stay in another dormitory only one night a week unless exception is granted by the President of Student Union.
6. Social late-permissions will be granted as follows:
Seniors—four 11:00 permissions per term.
Juniors—four 10:30 permissions per term.
Sophomores — three 10:30 permissions per term.
Freshmen—three 10:30 permissions per term.
7. Late-permissons in emergency cases, such as meeting a train, any unforeseen mishap or delay, and general permissions such as play rehearsals etc., will be granted by the House Director.

A. A student may have permission to work in the evening only until 10:30 or until the closing hour of her dormitory in case of special late-permission. Such permission should be obtained from the House Director or in her absence the girl on house-duty should be consulted in regard to the closing of her dormitory. Work as used in this rule means gainful occupation.
8. From May 15 through October 15, a period of one-half an hour for outside walking shall be granted to freshmen and sophomores between 8:00 and 10:00 every night. This shall not count as a night out.

E. Chaperonage:
1. Approved chaperones are members of the faculty and their wives and parents of students. In case of dances, however, parents are not considered approved chaperones.
2. Guests staying overnight in dormitories are under Student Union rules and should be presented to the House Director. The hostess must assume the responsibility that no infringement of these rules is made by her guest.

F. Miscellaneous:
1. College women shall not dance on Sunday in any public place. Dancing with men is not permitted in the living rooms of dormitories, but is permitted in the recreation rooms.
2. College women may play cards in the recreation rooms of dormitories in which there are such rooms. In other dormitories students may play in the living rooms. College women may play cards in a public place on Sunday after 1:00 P.M.
3. The term "public place" as used in these rules is understood to mean any place where outsiders are likely to come. This includes the living rooms of dormitories.
4. Women may receive men in the dormitories:
a. weekdays except Saturday after 4:00 P.M.
b. Saturday, Sunday, or a holiday after the noon meal.
c. during Carnival after 9:00 A.M.
5. Women may not entertain men in the dormitories during meals or Chapel. Each dormitory shall have the privilege of making rules for entertaining men after formals, but in no case may they remain in the dormitory after 12:25 A.M.
6. Men may be entertained in the recreation rooms of dormitories every afternoon and evening within the hours prescribed by Student Union, with this exception: if these rooms are reserved for any meeting or any general social affair, the privilege is withdrawn for that particular time.
7. Women are not to receive telephone calls after 10:30 P.M. except long distance calls. This time is extended to 11:30 on Saturdays.
8. Walking alone in the evening is not permitted off campus except to and from college dormitories and the Playhouse.
9. The campus is defined as the area bounded by: Hillcrest Avenue and an imaginary line from the north end of the avenue to the fence on the north side of Pearsons; along that fence, past the north side of the Chateau ground to the Chateau road; along the Chateau road; including the college grounds on the east side of the Chateau road to College Street; across Storrs Avenue, including the college grounds on the east side of the avenue; from the south end of Storrs Avenue, west to Hillcrest Avenue, and the most direct routes by the road to the Infirmary, the Playhouse, and women's dormitories not included in this area.
10. Nights out and the term "evening" as used in these rules are understood to begin at 8:00 o'clock.
11. The following shall not be considered nights out: athletic games, skating, and skiing if one comes directly home; debates; practice for a play; choir rehearsals; church; reference work at the library; evening classes; regular meetings of college activities; dramatic club plays; spending the evening with one's family; spending the evening in a dormitory other than one's own; concerts conducted by college talent; lecture course programs; Red Cross work; and rushing parties.
12. The following shall be considered nights out: fraternity meetings; dances; dates with men; walking; entertaining movies and being off campus after the evening begins.
13. Freshmen shall not take more than three nights out during the week and sophomores not more than four nights out during the week unless given special permission by the President of Student Union.
14. Freshmen who have an 80 average at the middle of the second term of that year (*i.e.* term 2), and sophomores who have an 80 average at the end of the first term of that year (*i.e.* term 3), will be granted the social privileges concerning nights out of the class ahead for the last six weeks of the second term of their year (*i.e.* term 2, term 4).
15. The week as used in these rules shall be considered as from Wednesday morning through Tuesday evening.
16. One extra term night out shall be granted to sophomores and freshmen by the president of their dormitory, who shall be notified before it is taken.

IV. Class Elections

A. Elections shall be held *every term except* when all the officers from the previous term will be present and will still conform to class requirements for office.

B. Elections shall be held as soon after the beginning of the term as possible.

C. Officers to fulfill the functions of each office during new election shall be the out-going officer when they are returning the next term; when officers are not returning, substitutes shall be appointed by the President's Council.

V. General Miscellaneous

A. Members of Student Union are not to engage in practices which might injure the good name of Middlebury women.

B. The President of Student Union shall be given first choice of rooms, the Editor-in-Chief of the CAMPUS (if a member of Student Union), will be given second

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Williams Defeats Middlebury Nine With 7-0 Victory

The Panthers continued their slump Wednesday afternoon when Williams defeated them 7-0 on their home diamond. The Panthers looked ragged throughout the game, running up a grand total of nine errors to put the game on ice for Williams.

Vetare, pitching for the Blue & White, managed to get five strikeouts while the Violet piled up seven hits to score seven men. The Panthers had five scattered singles but couldn't concentrate long enough to dent the home plate.

Uneventful First

The first inning was uneventful as both Williams and Midd failed to put the fifth man up to bat. In the second, Williams hit to Vetare who threw out Wengel at second to end the inning. Midd, in her half of the inning, sat down in 1, 2, 3, order when Luck, Wilson, and Merrit flyed out in that sequence.

The third inning started the rally for Williams when Steigirwald erred to pass Dodds, Defeo flyed out and advanced Dodds. Le Sage singled to advance him further and Vetare walked Dulean to load the bases. Losing control, he walked Smith to score Dodds and when Herman bobbled Leary's hit, Le Sage scored. Wengel fouled out to Schroeder to end the inning.

Violet Runs Up Score

Coming back in the fifth, Smith singled, stole second, then advanced to third on Merritt's bobble on Wengel's hit. Putting on the pressure, Wengel stole second and on the play by Marrote, Smith scored. With Leary striking out, Vetare forced Williams and Watkins to fly out to Margil to end the inning again.

In the ninth, the Violet decided they needed a few more runs and went to work on Vetare. Le Sage, up first, popped out to Steigerwald, Dulean singled, went to second when Smith walked, stole third on Vetare's overthrow and scored on Leary's hit. Meanwhile, Smith had stolen second and now rested on third. He scored on Wengel's fly to Margil. Williams then connected with a healthy triple to score Leary. Williams scored on Watkins' single and Vetare closed by striking out Dodd.

Ball Game Over

This was the end of the ball game as Merritt was thrown out on a bounder to third and Vetare popped up to the pitcher. Steigerwald singled but died on first when Schroeter flied out to short for the number 3 out.

The las two games are at home, Union on Wednesday at 4.30 and Trinity on Saturday at 2.30. Let's give the boys some support.

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choice and the Chief Justice third choice.

C. In all elections, students in the first and second terms shall be considered to be freshmen, in the third and fourth term to be sophomores, in the fifth and sixth term to be juniors, and in the seventh or eighth term to be seniors.

D. Members of term 1 shall not be permitted to vote in Student Union elections.

E. Each student of the women's college shall file at the beginning of the academic year in the office of the Dean of Women the written permission of parents or guardians stating their wishes in regard to motoring.

F. Boating, canoeing, and swimming are permitted only with written permission from the parents, and are never permitted in the evening.

G. Smoking shall not be permitted while walking, attending athletic contests, in the living rooms or entrance halls of dormitories, or outside of all college buildings and dormitories, but is permitted in the students' rooms, recreation rooms, places prescribed in other college buildings (Student Lounge, Munroe; Browsing Room, Library), in the immediate vicinity of the college and high school gymnasiums during social functions, and in the following places for women who are sun-bathing: Pearsons, north side; back of Forest; back of Chateau.

H. Except in the case of fire, the fire bell shall be rung only by the headwaitress, the person on house duty, or the House President.

I. Forest East and Forest West shall be considered as two separate dormitories.

J. A student "in good standing" as described in the Constitution is one who is not on probation and who meets the requirements of the point system.

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tremely spirited game. The first half found the Sophomores ahead by a margin of 2 points. The Freshmen waged a comeback in the last half by scoring two points, to make the score at the end of the game a 2-2 tieup. Betty Lou Chamberlain and "Cindy" Darby scored for the Sophomores, while Polly Hodder and Alice Neef were the Freshmen scorers.

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The big event has come and gone, leaving an impression on all who attended or had anything to do with it. Nothing before in the history of the college or maybe even of the state could equal the grand opening of Club '47 last Saturday night. What a galaxy of beautiful entertainers, what a variety of famous bands, what wonderful refreshments were on hand! And what a crowd attended! Why, the floor was so crowded that—but that's another story. The point is, Middlebury's first night club was a startling success and went over with what sounded like a bang.

Detailed Account

A society editor is supposed to give a detailed account of who wore what with whom, but as there were far too many Middlebury debutantes present to do justice to them all, this society editor concentrated on what the night club wore (the rooms, of course. The gentlemen present did enough concentrating on what the entertainers wore to take care of a dozen reporters.) The best thing about any night club is the atmosphere. Club '47 held its own with the best in this respect. Middlebury socialites dancing in the gay, romantic setting of Club '47 could very easily have believed themselves in any one of the famous Greenwich Village night clubs.

Beautiful Bar

No night club, even in Vermont, is complete without a bar. And the bar at Club '47 was rightly the center of attraction, despite the lack of what usually makes a bar the center of attraction. Placed under a red and white striped canopy, and backed up by a good old-fashioned barroom mirror, the bar was complete with brass rail and bar maids. Such invigorating drinks as the Junior Julep, Midd Martinis, Hepburn Highballs, and Dunmore Daiquiris were served to the thirsty crowd, who seemed to be having such a good time that they didn't realize that they all came out of the same punch bowl. Maybe they were fooled by the imposing array of bottles that lent an authentic look to the bar and by the clever little signs painted on the mirror.

Extra Touch

The last decorative touch—not a requisite, but an ever-present member of night club society—was the dummy drunk who was peacefully wrapped around the lamp post in the middle of the dance floor. He aroused the sympathy, and the envy, of practically everyone. Poor fellow! Too bad he wasn't conscious enough to have some real fun in Club '47. Even at that, though, he probably could present a few angles that this reporter missed.

Music was provided by all the leading bands and such famous vocalists as Frank Sinatra and Bing Crosby. They regretted that they couldn't be present in person, and so sent the next best substitutes, recordings of the latest song hits and all the old favorites. Every possible taste was satisfied. Jitterbugs had a good time, and those who liked it slow and sweet managed to keep on the floor most of the time too.

Entertainment Plus

Walter Winchell has the knack for covering both the society and the entertainment news. Your CAMPUS society editor doesn't pretend to be Walter Winchell, but she did cover the entertainment at Club '47, along with the society news. It would be pure modesty on anyone's part to deny that the floor show wasn't the big attraction of the evening. Never before had such a sparkling line of chorus girls entertained at Middlebury, and they were welcomed with a great deal of excited expectation. In true M.C. style, the M.C. of the Club heightened the suspense by leaving their act till last. If the sultry singer and the torrid tap-dancer were good, what would or wouldn't the chorus line be? Some sarcastic person called it a diamond in the rough, but the majority were satisfied just to call it a diamond. The hit of the evening was the Conga line, led by the "members of the ensemble," who, by the way, knew how to lead one and get results. It was something different, and no one knows how long it would have all gone on if the leaders hadn't started for the exit. After that, just plain dancing and eating kept the patrons happy, or seemed to.

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June Week

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there will be no review and personal inspection as ordinarily scheduled for Friday evenings.

Inspection of Quarters

Saturday morning there will be the regular inspection of quarters and Saturday afternoon beginning at 1330 will be the long awaited color ceremony.

Following the ceremony there will be open house in Gifford and Hepburn Halls. Also at 1430 there will be the last baseball game of the season against Trinity.

From 1700 to 1800 there will be the tea given by President and Mrs. Stratton and Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. Clifford Alderman on the lawn of Dr. Stratton's home at 3 South Street, for all the faculty members and guests of the V-12 trainees who are from out of town.

Navy Formal Dance

Beginning at 2000 the Navy Formal dance will be held in the High School gym. The "Blue Barrons" will provide the music, and from all reports of committee chairmen it will be the biggest and best dance of the year.

Sunday evening at 1930 on the steps of Mead Chapel each women's class, the civilian men, and each company will compete in the well known Middlebury tradition of step singing. Judges for the competition will be Mrs. Willard Carpenter of Middlebury, Lieut.-Commander Alderman and Professor John G. Bowker. This will conclude the week's activities.

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"Also Selected Short Subjects"

THURS.-FRI., JUNE 15-16
"The Star of the Year, Paul Lukas, in the Picture of the Year"
With
Carl Esmond and Mady Christians
in
"ADDRESS UNKNOWN"
"It's Another Academy Award Performance"
"Don't Miss This One"

Coming to this Theatre Next Week
SUN.-MON., JUNE 18-19
Errol Flynn
Paul Lukas
Jean Sullivan
"UNCERTAIN GLORY"

ARGYLE CROWNED AT HOWARD HOUSE

Ann A. Argyle '47 was crowned "June Bug" at a formal dinner at the Howard House on Thursday, June 1. Girls living at Howard House were hostesses to a group from Painter on this occasion.

Mabry P. Eastman '45 and Marjorie H. Harwood '45 had the brainstorm which resulted in this gala affair. The coronation banquet was a buffet supper, at which Miss Eastman presided until the June Bug was crowned at the end of the main course. Katherine M. Craven '46, Dorothy Lindeman '47, and Violet M. Schnyder '47 were chosen as ladies in waiting for the guest of honor.

The surprised June Bug led a grand march out of the dining room, through the kitchen, and back again to the main scene of activities. Her brief speech was greatly appreciated, and was followed by enthusiastic singing.

Each guest at the dinner was presented with a corsage, and after the celebrations were over, the entire group went out into the garden where formal pictures were taken.

Navy View

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in the way of entertainment but our first job was not to enjoy ourselves but to gain an education with which we could better carry out our assignments as members of the United States Navy. When we wanted entertainment, there was always a dance or a picnic or a hike. We were kept well entertained. All these left us with many memories that we shall never forget; the first "Number Dance," Mountain Club hikes, dorm parties, sorority dances, Navy formals, mid-night serenades and many other things.

It is only fitting then that the Navy should sponsor this last weekend of social events of the first year of the Navy at Middlebury. I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the Naval Unit, to invite one and all to attend the "open house" being held in both Gifford and Hepburn Halls this weekend. Come and see that the Navy has not changed the dorms at Midd. I would also like to extend an invitation to all to attend the Color Ceremony on Saturday afternoon. We are your Naval Unit and we hope that you will be proud to watch us "pass in review."

I would also like to thank all those who have been so helpful to us during our stay at Midd. To the faculty, Dr. Green, the coordinator, and to the man behind the scenes who feeds us so royally —Mr. Barclay, the Unit extends its thanks. You have made our stay a pleasant one.

As the first year of our sojourn at Midd draws to a close, we hope that our next year will be as profitable as has been our first. To those who are leaving. Good Luck and smooth sailing. To those who are remaining, you have a job well begun; don't slack off now.

Culture Trends

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fact that foreigners think of the United States as the land of the movies and judge us by them. There are three periods in movie development: 1, the formative years (1900-1920); 2, the business years (1918-1930); and 3, the years of maturing (1930 on). Melias, a Frenchman, father of the animated cartoon, and Porter, an American, were the two first great names in this industry. They thought of having the movies tell a story instead of having just unrelated shots in the tradition of their predecessors. California was finally chosen as the movie center. In 1909 censorship was introduced. "Westerns" and historical films came into popularity and the latter did quite a lot, Mr. Bourcier feels, in educating the foreigner in American history. David Griffith was the man to introduce the modern techniques of the close-ups, the fade-back, etc., into movies and it was he who produced the famous "Birth of a Nation." As movies progressed they grew more realistic. In spite of the fact that the art value of movies has been debased by the profit motive, Professor Bourcier feels that there is a real future for movies in the hands of independent producers who are not bound by economic considerations.

Commando Course

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been explained to me that it is all quite easy as long as you put your hands on ropes running vertically—needless to say your feet can't rest on the vertical ropes too.

After going over several hurdles of different sizes, "Joe's" feet are given a short rest while he travels by hand, being particularly careful not to kick the fellow in front and behind as he swings á la Tarzan.

New Classification

Watching "Joe" and the class go through the tunnel makes me forget completely the primate classification, but reminds me of the cat family which is herded through tunnels before performing an act in a three ring circus. However, even if "Joe" has an inclination to be stubborn he goes through the tunnel with no such regression, as is often observed in the latter group.

Across the ditch "Joe" goes and then up Jacob's Ladder which is the most ominous looking obstacle on the course. At this point, even if "Joe" feels like collapsing he is stimulated onward and upward by the chief, who, as a morale supporter, cheers out "Come on you Commandos!" Just to be thought of as a "Commando" is sufficient push to get "Joe" up the ladder, which incidentally is authentic rigging reaching 19 feet high. The real technique connected with this obstacle is shimmying down the rope on the other side, but this is all learned in due time as a nineteen foot drop is quick but uncomfortable to make without the aid of the rope.

Round and Round

When "Joe" is down he finds he must go up a steep embankment and encircle the tennis courts at a pace which would make any of us think there was some impetus driving him onward. Perhaps it's the old "Don't give up the ship" spirit—what else? Again, taking on the Tarzan aspect, the "Commandos" go through an arch in a tree and presto they're back where they began.

Back on the course, it looks like no great effort to roll down the embankment which had been climbed several minutes before, but going under and over the right hurdles is another question, "Joe" tells us.

Post-Commando

As a finale, "Commando Joe" takes his last spur of energy and gathers up his equilibrium to go over a log, which, if he misses, will land him in the mud surrounding the log.

That's the extent of the actual course, although if a PT class is especially ambitious looking, the run is supplemented with a little stroll up Chapel Hill at the rate of a jog trot, or additional exercises to finish out the remainder of the hour. It's no wonder 22:15 and taps don't come soon enough for "Joe" on some of the more strenuous days, after such a period of exercises. Advice is in order at this time to mention that if you in the Navy have any inclination whatsoever to pitch a baseball (and the team could stand an extra hurler or two) or run a fast quarter mile, take the chance and try out for the squad. It will exempt you from the 1288 feet, which is the length of the course.

Commandos go over the course at many different rates, but the record so far is four minutes, forty-eight seconds, held by A.S. Warren Scanlon. Although the course is an addition to Middlebury's physical education department, it is included in all Navy training ventures. This specific one is the brain child of the Navy and college combined with the final okay of plans having come from Washington.

ALUMNI NOTES

Barbara Slade '44, A. S. (U. S. N. R.) is in training at Northampton, Mass.

Jane Taft Baldwin '41 of Wollaston, Mass., has begun flight training at Avenger Field, Sweetwater, Tex., in the WASPS. She previously had received Civil Pilot training in CAA and CAA Airway Traffic Controller Asst. in Boston.

The marriage has been announced of Dorothy E. Brown ot James Gibbs Clark, AUS, in Washington, D. C., on May 13. Her address is 1513 Arlington Ridge Road, South Arlington, Va.

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ART DEPARTMENT TO HOLD BENEFIT

A. Healy and Students To Present Paintings On Sunday Afternoon

To raise money for art materials which will be sent to servicemen in camps throughout the United States, the Fine Arts department will sponsor an art show tea Sunday afternoon, June 11, in the recreation room of Forest Hall from 3.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. o'clock.

The general public is invited to attend and to make contributions for this cause.

Work by students in the Fine Arts classes will be on display at this time together with some water colors done by Arthur K. D. Healey, artist in residence in Middlebury and head of the Fine Arts department. All of Mr. Healey's works will be of Vermont countryside including such pictures as "The Barn," "The Gables," and "The Willows." Mr. Healey's water colors have recently been exhibited in the MacBeth Galleries in New York City. Among student contributions the exhibit will be Jean Lacey's "Landscape," and Janet Kasper's "Playhou

Hostesses at the tea will be Mrs. Sam S. Stratton, Mrs. William S. Burr and Miss Marion Wolcott.

"Landscape"

By Jean Lacey '44